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Tax Auto Owners

"Two salient features of the highway bill killed by the last legislature, are now urged by the county boards," Mr. Cannon said. "One was the provision whereby taxes for highway purposes were lifted from general property and placed on the users of the road. The other outstanding feature was that the provision of the present law requiring counties to appropriate a sum equal to 50 per cent of the funds allotted to them by the state and federal government, was to be eliminated.

"Reports from throughout the state indicate that both of these features of the bill strongly appealed to the county boards."

The Dodge county board adopted a resolution memorializing the next legislature to pass an act embodying provisions of the highway bill defeated during the last session which would place "the burden of paying for road improvements upon the owners of motor vehicles, where it rightfully belongs."

The Monroe county board recommended that the present laws be amended so as to lift the burden of highway improvement from general property and place more of it on the users of the highways. They urged the governor to call a special session of the legislature.

Push Old Hirst Bill

The same recommendation was made by the Jackson county board, with specific mention of the Hirst bill which was beaten in the last legislature. Bayfield, Adams, Vernon, Washington and Vilas counties all adopted resolutions favoring passage of the same measure.

Marinette and Sheboygan counties both urged the governor to call a special session of the legislature to appropriate funds for federal aid work so that construction could be pushed in 1923. Sheboygan county asked that counties be relieved of meeting the state aid appropriations.

Two resolutions in highway matters were passed by the Ashland county board. One requested the legislature to enact a law placing a tax of one cent a gallon on all gasoline sold in the state, the proceeds to go into the road fund. Another requested representatives of the county to work for passage of a law providing a two per cent highway privilege tax on the value of motor vehicles, similar to the defeated Hirst bill.

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How to keep wooden articles from shrinking or swelling was told in a recent bulletin of the U. S. Forest Products laboratory, Madison.

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SUCCESS OF HUGHES PROPOSALS IS BELIEVED ASSURED IF FRENCH GIVE ACCEPTANCE

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London, Dec. 19—France will accept the original naval ratio laid down by Hughes at the Washington conference, Premier Aristide Briande informed George Harvey, American ambassador to Great Britain, at a meeting Sunday night, Briand authorized Harvey to notify the American government of the decision.

This agreement to accept the original ratio, does not, however, alter the French insistence upon an adequate allowance of submarines and cruisers.

Hughes Gets Message

Washington, Dec. 19 — Secretary Hughes is understood to have received a cablegram today from London stating that as a result of the conference between Premier Briand and George Harvey, France expected to accept the American proposal for the limitation of capital ships. The French acceptance, it was reported, was on a tonnage, not a ratio basis.

Postpone Meeting

The meeting today of the naval arms conference committee of fifteen was postponed until Tuesday by chairman Hughes upon the request of M. Sarraut, acting head of the French delegation. Sarraut stated that the French delegation was not prepared to take definite action until cablegrams received this morning from Paris were decoded. Nothing is known of the nature of the cables other than that gained indirectly through the message from Ambassador Harvey.

Means Success

If, as understood by officials here, the Harvey cablegram means that France will withdraw her claim for ten additional first line battleships, the success of the Hughes naval limitations program based on the original ration of 5-5-3 for Great Britain, the United States and Japan, and 2-2 for France and Italy, seems assured. The other nations involved have already signified their agreement.

DAIL FAILS TO ACT ON ANGLO-IRISH PACT

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The Dail Eireann which met shortly before noon today for consideration of motions for and against ratification of the Anglo-Irish treaty, adjourned until afternoon without taking any definite action. Every indication was that speech making would continue through Tuesday.

Arthur Griffith, foreign minister of the Dail, and head of the delegation which signer the treaty, moved that it be adopted. Eamonn De Valera, president of the Irish republic, replied with an impassioned plea for rejection.

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This information has been received by Frank Cannon, executive secretary of the Good Roads Association of Wisconsin. Reports of bond issues authorized by the counties, shows that the amount available for expenditure will be approximately $10,000,000 or slightly more than was expended during the past year.

Tax Auto Owners

"Two salient features of the highway bill killed by the last legislature, are now urged by the county boards," Mr. Cannon said. "One was the provision whereby taxes for highway purposes were lifted from general property and placed on the users of the road. The other outstanding feature was that the provision of the present law requiring counties to appropriate a sum equal to 50 per cent of the funds allotted to them by the state and federal government, was to be eliminated.

"Reports from throughout the state indicate that both of these features of the bill strongly appealed to the county boards."

The Dodge county board adopted a resolution memorializing the next legislature to pass an act embodying provisions of the highway bill defeated during the last session which would place "the burden of paying for road improvements upon the owners of motor vehicles, where it rightfully belongs."

The Monroe county board recommended that the present laws be amended so as to lift the burden of highway improvement from general property and place more of it on the users of the highways. They urged the governor to call a special session of the legislature.

Push Old Hirst Bill

The same recommendation was made by the Jackson county board, with specific mention of the Hirst bill which was beaten in the last legislature. Bayfield, Adams, Vernon, Washington and Vilas counties all adopted resolutions favoring passage of the same measure.

Marinette and Sheboygan counties both urged the governor to call a special session of the legislature to appropriate funds for federal aid work so that construction could be pushed in 1923. Sheboygan county asked that counties be relieved of meeting the state aid appropriations.

Two resolutions in highway matters were passed by the Ashland county board. One requested the legislature to enact a law placing a tax of one cent a gallon on all gasoline sold in the state, the proceeds to go into the road fund. Another requested representatives of the county to work for passage of a law providing a two per cent highway privilege tax on the value of motor vehicles, similar to the defeated Hirst bill.

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How to keep wooden articles from shrinking or swelling was told in a recent bulletin of the U. S. Forest Products laboratory, Madison.

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London, Dec. 19—France will accept the original naval ratio laid down by Hughes at the Washington conference, Premier Aristide Briande informed George Harvey, American ambassador to Great Britain, at a meeting Sunday night, Briand authorized Harvey to notify the American government of the decision.

This agreement to accept the original ratio, does not, however, alter the French insistence upon an adequate allowance of submarines and cruisers.

Hughes Gets Message

Washington, Dec. 19 — Secretary Hughes is understood to have received a cablegram today from London stating that as a result of the conference between Premier Briand and George Harvey, France expected to accept the American proposal for the limitation of capital ships. The French acceptance, it was reported, was on a tonnage, not a ratio basis.

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The meeting today of the naval arms conference committee of fifteen was postponed until Tuesday by chairman Hughes upon the request of M. Sarraut, acting head of the French delegation. Sarraut stated that the French delegation was not prepared to take definite action until cablegrams received this morning from Paris were decoded. Nothing is known of the nature of the cables other than that gained indirectly through the message from Ambassador Harvey.

Means Success

If, as understood by officials here, the Harvey cablegram means that France will withdraw her claim for ten additional first line battleships, the success of the Hughes naval limitations program based on the original ration of 5-5-3 for Great Britain, the United States and Japan, and 2-2 for France and Italy, seems assured. The other nations involved have already signified their agreement.

DAIL FAILS TO ACT ON ANGLO-IRISH PACT

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Dublin, Dec. 19—Ireland, under the status granted her pending further agreements, would have the same right as Canada to send an ambassador to the United States, Michael Collins, finance minister in the Sinn Fein government, and one of the signers of the Anglo-Irish treaty stated today in a speech before the Dail Eireann.

The Dail Eireann which met shortly before noon today for consideration of motions for and against ratification of the Anglo-Irish treaty, adjourned until afternoon without taking any definite action. Every indication was that speech making would continue through Tuesday.

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RHINELANDER YOUTH COMMITS SUICIDE

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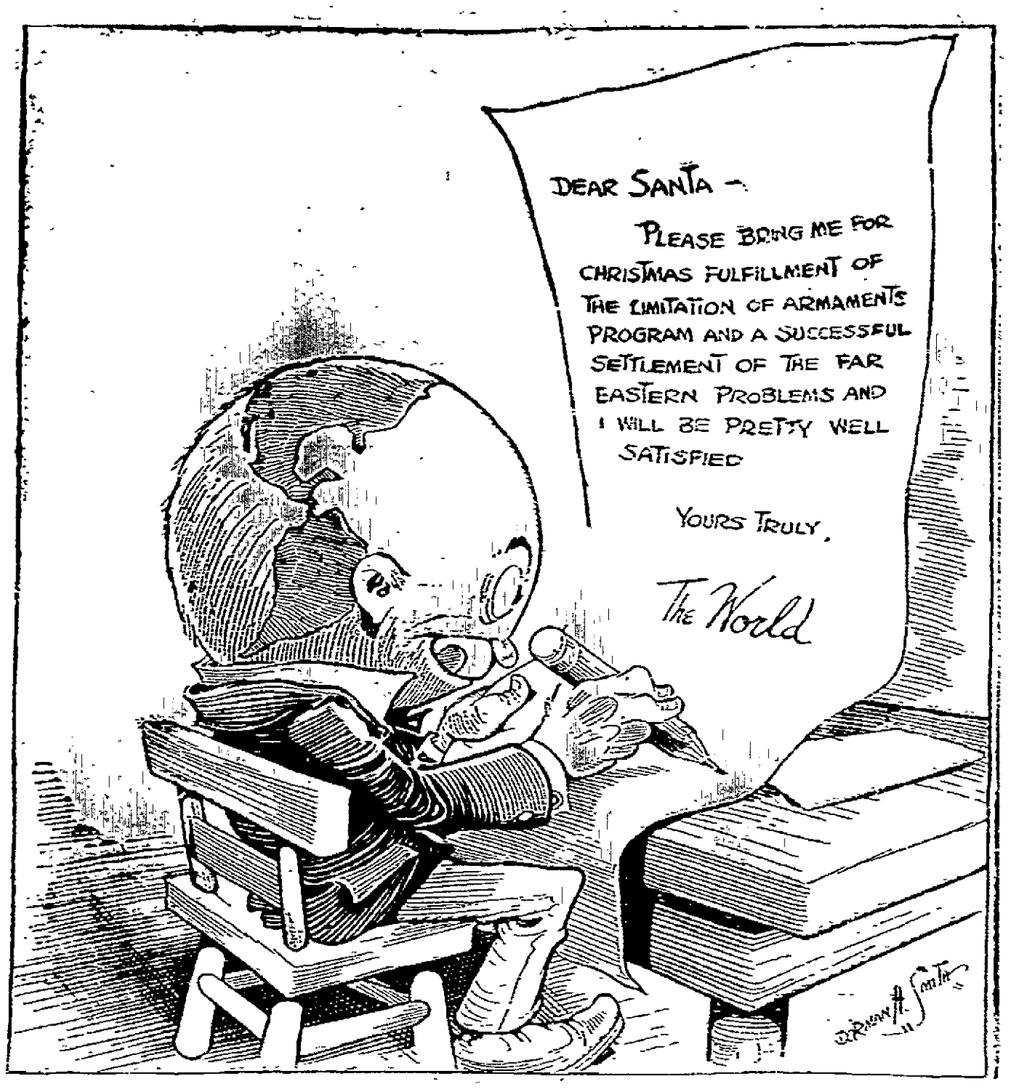

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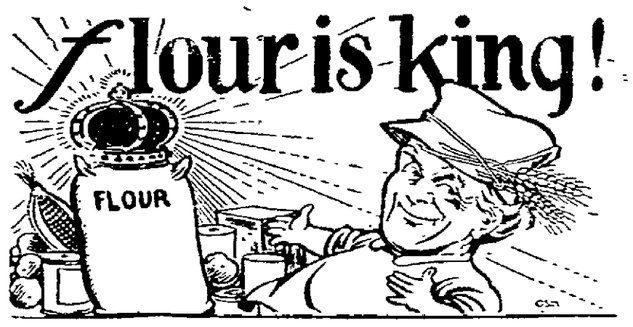

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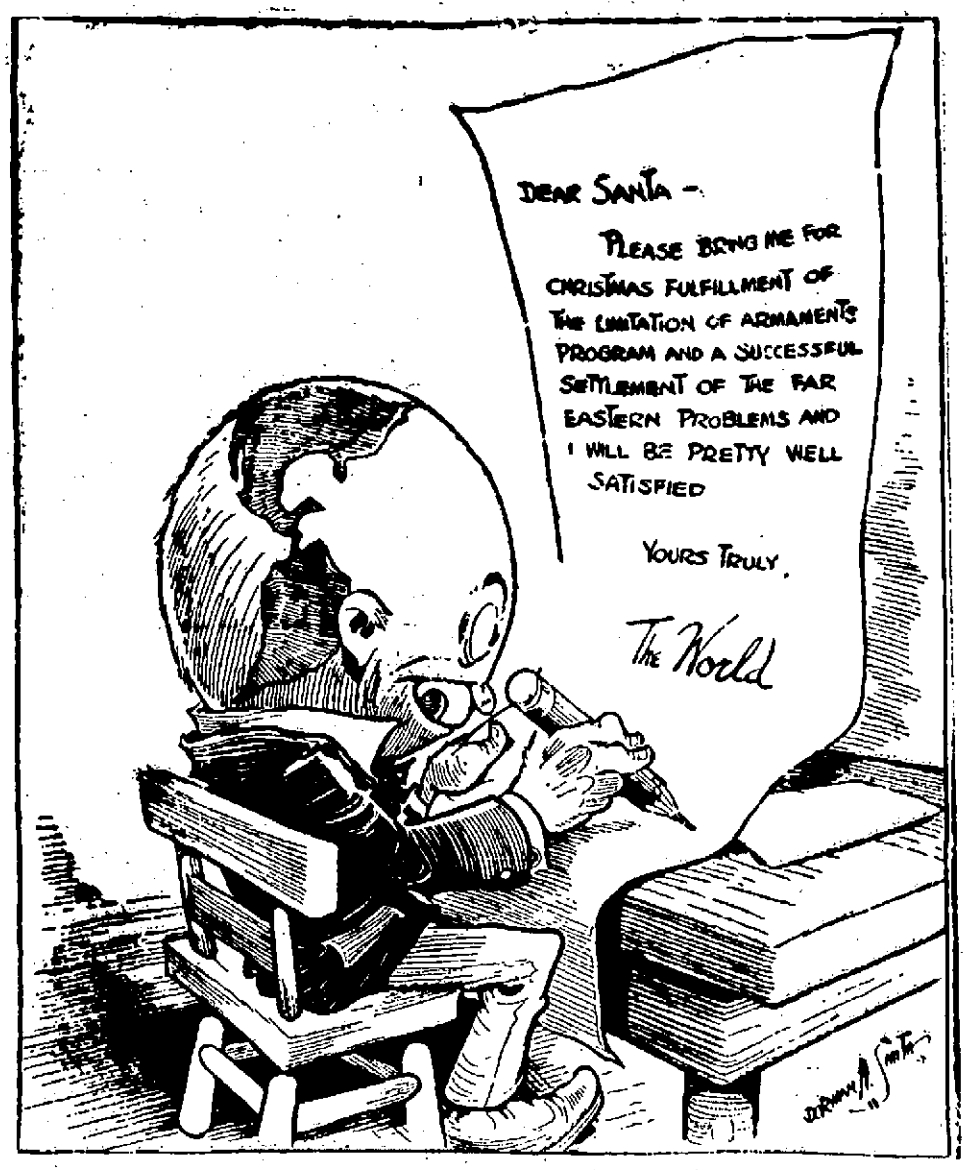

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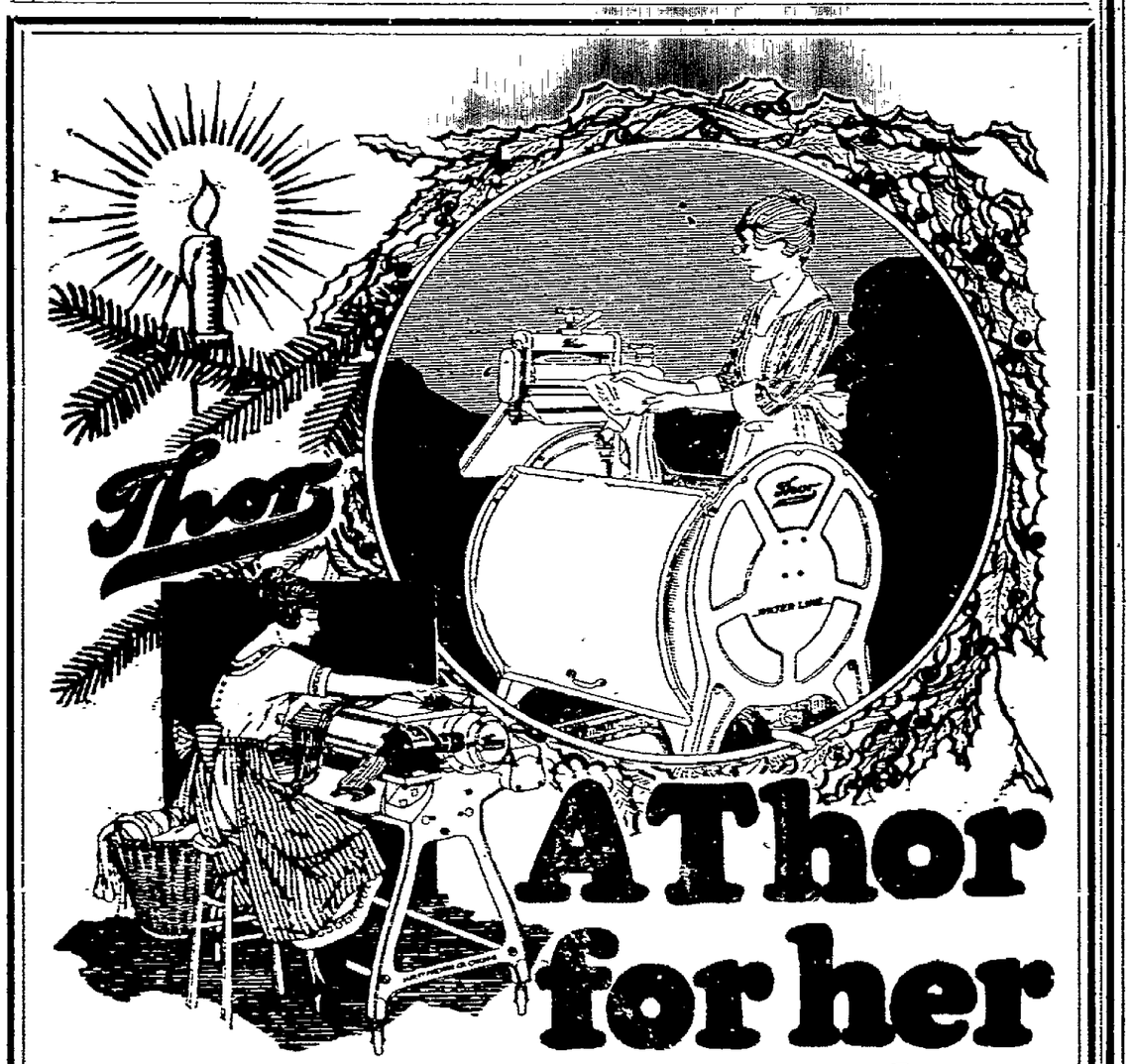

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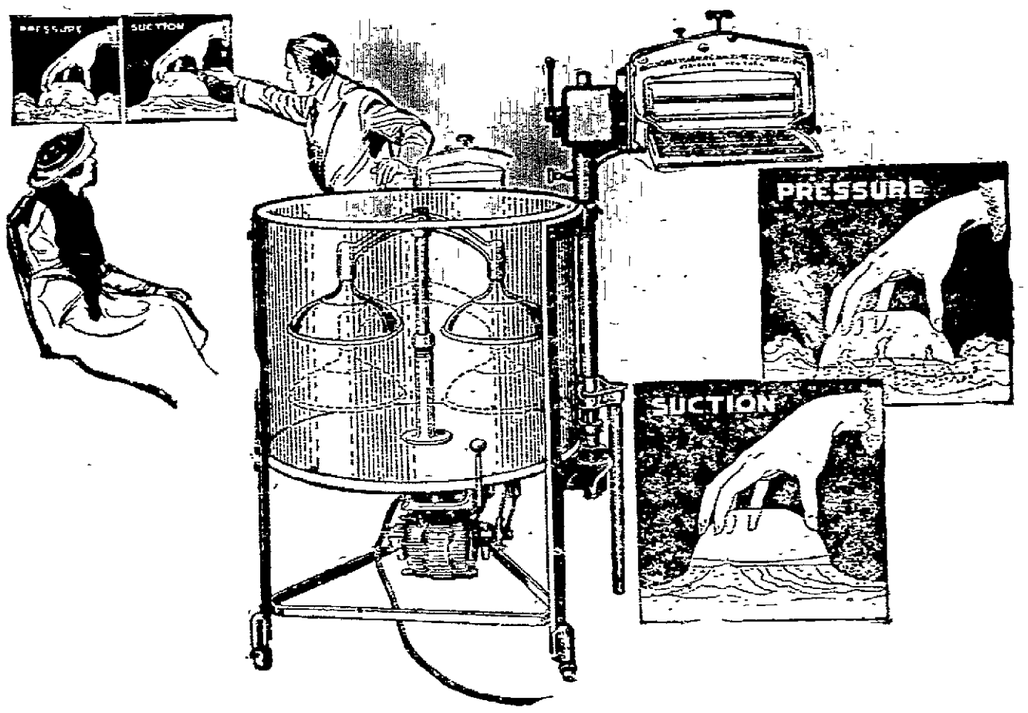

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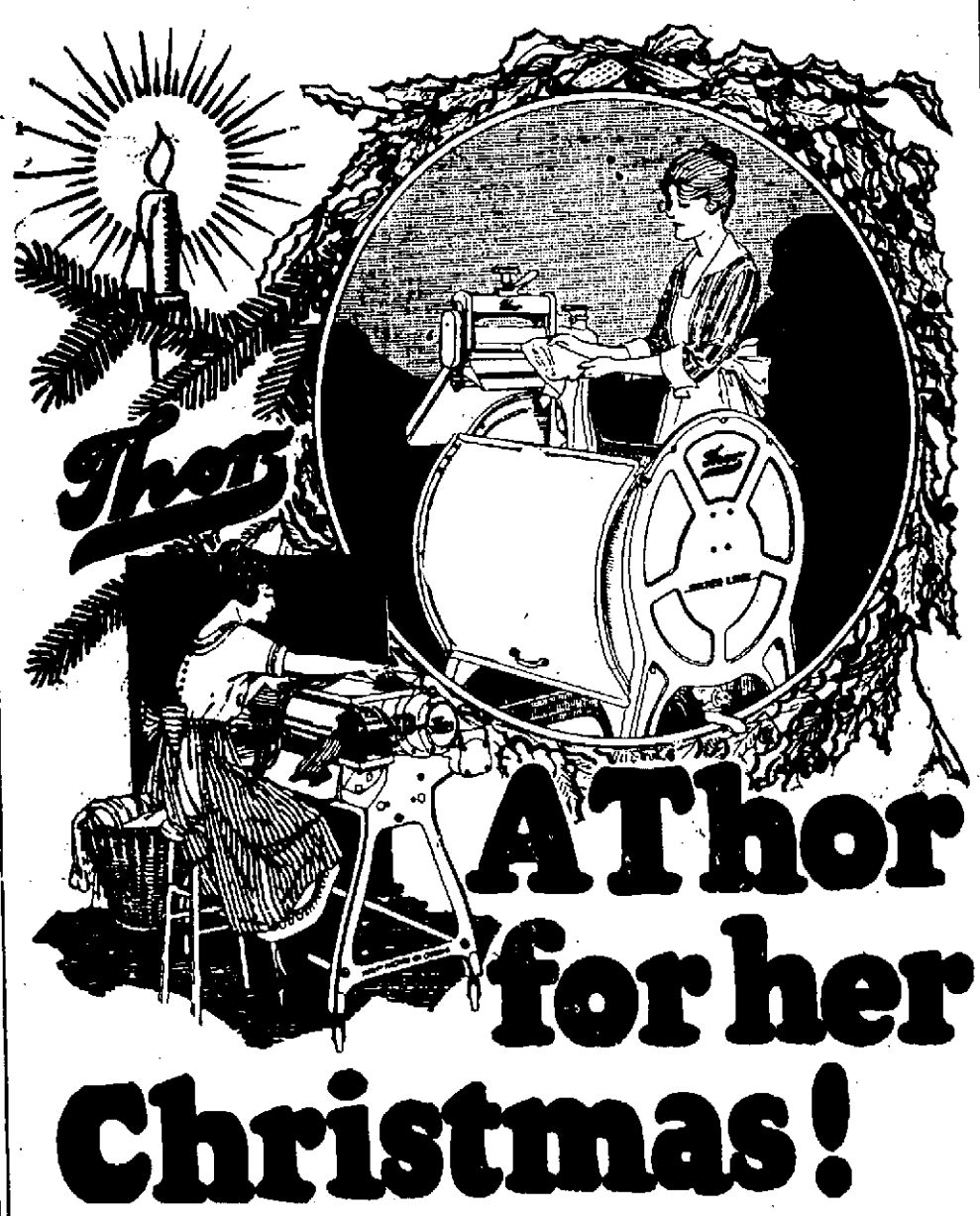

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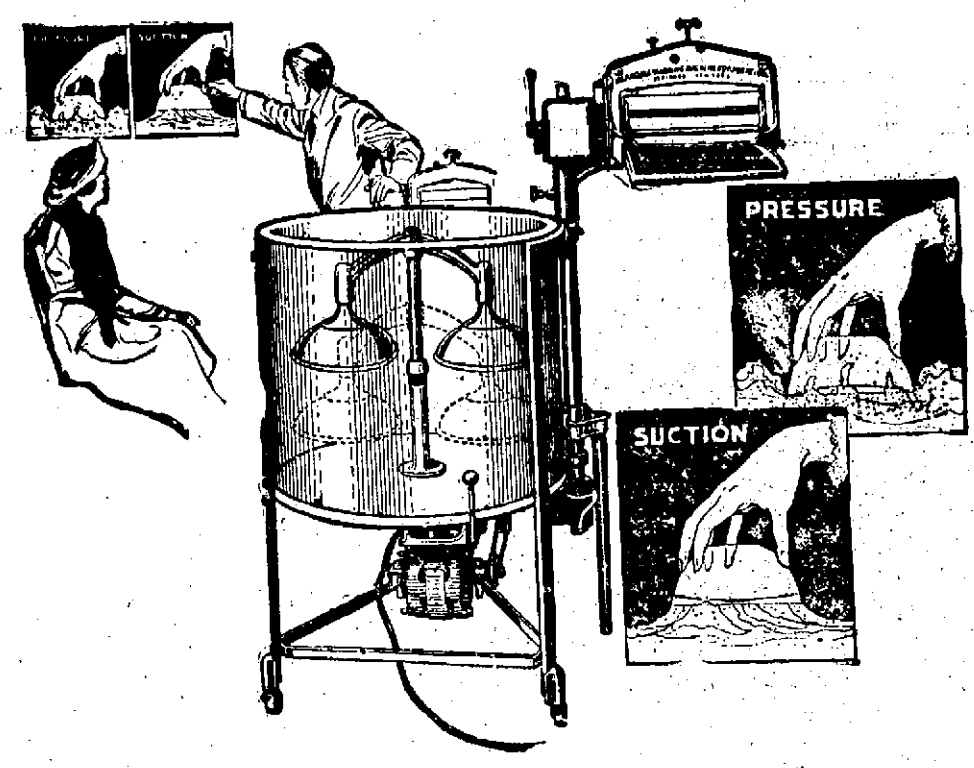

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Will Hold Meeting

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The highway route will touch such cities in the order named as: Quebec, following the New York-Albany-Quebec route through Montreal, to Rouse's Point, N. Y., thence to Malone, Watertown, Rochester, via the Theodore Roosevelt International highway; Rochester to Buffalo, Erie, Cleveland, via the Yellowstone trail; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, via the Ohio Market Road No. 1; Cincinnati to Covington, Ky., then to Frankfort, Louisville, West Point, Hardinsburg, Cloverport, Owensboro, Henderson, Morganfield, Marion, Smithfield, Paducah, Wickliffe, to Cairo, Ill. Birds Point where the trail will cross the Missouri river to Charleston, Sikeston, Dexter, Poplar Bluffs and then to Little Rock, Ark. From Little Rock the trail will continue to Texarkana, Tex., Dallas, Waco, Austin, San Antonio to Laredo and then across the border to Mexico City, Mexico, via the Lone Star route.

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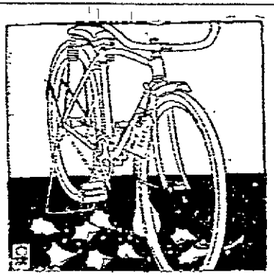

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PLAN MONTREAL TO MEXICO ROAD

PROPOSED HIGHWAY WILL CROSS MISSISSIPPI AND OHIO RIVERS AT CAIRO, ILLINOIS

St. Louis, Mo.—Following the announcement that a "Y" or wye bridge was proposed to cross the Ohio river at Cairo, Illinois to Kentucky and again extend into Missouri, affording a mainline connecting link for the Illinois Central Railroad, an organization to be known as the "Great Southwestern International Highway," was formed. The highway will extend from Montreal, to Mexico City, Mexico, and will cross the Mississippi River at Cairo, providing an uninterrupted trail across the United States.

The temporary officers elected are: President, Thad Snow, of Charleston, Mo., who is president of the Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau; secretary, John H. Jackson of Cairo, who is one of the twelve directors of the Illinois State Automobile Association. C. M. Smith, Sr., of Sikeston, Mo., was named vice-president.

Will Hold Meeting

The next meeting of the organization will be held in Louisville, Ky., at a date to be named. At that time permanent officers will be elected, a constitution and by-laws will be adopted, and representatives of the various sections of the country will be selected.

The highway route will touch such cities in the order named as: Quebec, following the New York-Albany-Quebec route through Montreal, to Rouse's Point, N. Y., thence to Malone, Watertown, Rochester, via the Theodore Roosevelt International highway; Rochester to Buffalo, Erie, Cleveland, via the Yellowstone trail; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, via the Ohio Market Road No. 1; Cincinnati to Covington, Ky., then to Frankfort, Louisville, West Point, Hardinsburg, Cloverport, Owensboro, Henderson, Morganfield, Marion, Smithfield, Paducah, Wickliffe, to Cairo, Ill. Birds Point where the trail will cross the Missouri river to Charleston, Sikeston, Dexter, Poplar Bluffs and then to Little Rock, Ark. From Little Rock the trail will continue to Texarkana, Tex., Dallas, Waco, Austin, San Antonio to Laredo and then across the border to Mexico City, Mexico, via the Lone Star route.

The highway will be marked by a 12 inch black square, with two inches of white at the top and bottom and a two inch diagonal orange stripe.

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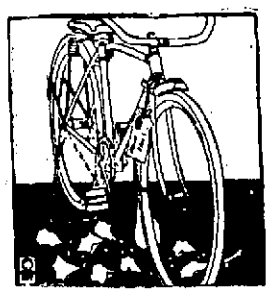

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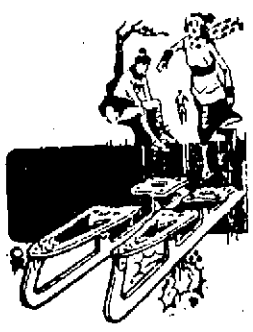
If you'll show us a boy over ten years of age, we'll show you one who craves a bicycle. Buy one for your boy for Christmas, we have them in fine models for boys and girls too.



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—shaving brushes
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—flashlights

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Here you will find a great array of gifts of the practical nature that find a ready welcome on Christmas gift. Why not give something practical that will lighten the housework of the wife or mother—a gift of this nature is doubly appreciated.

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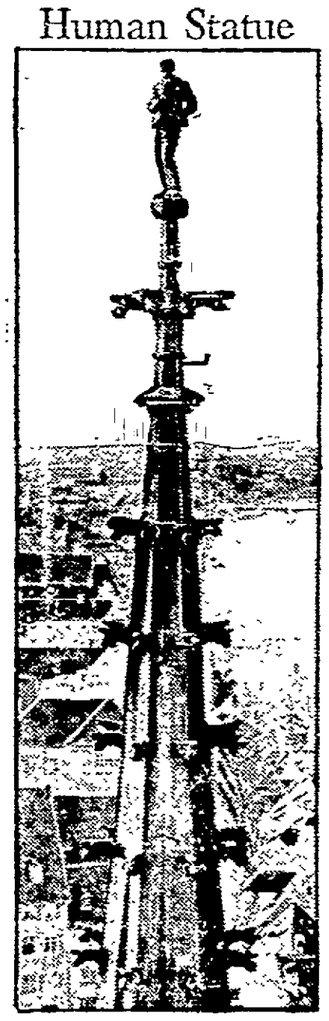
It was on his visit here in 1906 that Saint-Saens announced that he would quit the concert stage, after sixty years of hard work.

Human Statue



That's not a bronze statue atop the Munster Tower in Basle, Switzerland. That's a man smoking his after-breakfast cigaret. Tep, a European daredevil.

OLD BRITISH ROYAL JEWEL

Stone Once Set in Ring of Edward the Confessor Said to Have Power of Curing Sciatica.

Only a few of the early British royal jewels survive in the present regalia. The oldest of these is the sapphire of Edward the Confessor, which was originally set in his coronation ring.

It was buried with him in his shrine in Westminster abbey, but in 1101 the shrine was broken open and this and other jewels received.

The sapphire is in the cross on the top of the king's state crown. Legend has it that St. John once appeared before the Confessor as a pilgrim, and that the monarch gave him the ring, which was returned later. The stone is reputed to have the power of curing sciatica and rheumatism, but has not been so used recently.

The Black Prince's ruby, as big as a hen's egg, came into British possession in 1367, having been taken by Don Pedro of Castile from the Moorish king of Granada, whom he slew in battle. The Black Prince wore it. Henry V displayed it in his helmet at Agincourt. Richard III, hunchback, wore it at Bosworth field. Today this magnificent gem occupies the place of honor in the front of King George's crown.

Some wonderful pearls in the regalia are said to date from Elizabeth's time, though such age for a pearl is doubted. —London Answers.

ODD BELIEFS OF GAMBLERS

Almost Every Devotee of Chance Has Some Pet Superstition, Some of Them Laughable.

Unusually rich in superstitions are the gambling resorts of Deauville and Monte Carlo.

Not the least inexplicable of these strange faiths is the belief voiced by a Russian at Deauville that eating almonds for dinner is the secret of good luck at the tables.

At Monte Carlo this season a man and woman appeared at the tables every night, and while the man played the woman remained seated nursing a black cat. The man at first won considerably; but later his luck changed.

Amethyst tiepins are popular at Deauville because of their alleged luck-bringing virtues.

To play with the third and fourth fingers of the left hand crossed is another device practiced by one woman. She could give no reason for her faith, except that such manipulation of the fingers brought luck.

Turtle Liked the Music.

The teacher of a school at Manchester, N. H., encouraged her pupils to bring small zoological specimens to school in order to become fully acquainted with them. The resulting collection included several turtles of various species. They were all kept in one inclosure. The teacher says: "It was while we had all the specimens together that I learned that they were affected in some way by music. They appeared to be listening when the music lesson was in progress. The next music period found me in the room watching them. Before the lesson began the turtles were moving slowly about, but the moment the singing commenced every head was up in a listening attitude, and I failed to see a movement of head or foot till the music lesson was ended. What their sensations were, of course I could not tell. It is reasonable, however, to believe that they were pleasant, for had they been otherwise the turtle would have appeared restless."

Marriage.

"Snoring in a husband is a nasal certificate of good conduct."

"It doesn't do to put your husband on a pedestal—the best of them is only a baby in a high chair."

"Marriage is a very difficult pursuit. It is no good to a man who has to do anything else. It is like golf, no good unless you can give your whole time to it—and then you will probably lose to an American."

"If any woman tried her wiles on me she would find me adamant." "Yes, with the accent on the Adam."

"I can say no more. It concerns a lady." "Quite." "No, not quite, but a very charming woman."—From a London Play, "The Trump Card."

Walk on Live Coals.

When a Tamil Hindu recovers from a serious illness he sometimes makes a vow to do something entailing discomfort and pain to himself as a sort of manifestation of gratitude combined with self-sacrifice and self-abasement. These vows take different forms, such as rolling over and over on a hard metalled road, lashing himself or being lashed on the back or wearing a hair shirt, but walking over live coals is the means most commonly chosen by the devotee, this being very often accompanied by other forms of self-torture.

Islands Worth a Visit.

Tahiti is the most important of the Society islands, and from its principal city, Papeete, one may see Morea island, capped by the stately Manarea mountain. With its industry of pearl fishing, the famous society of the Areois, who cultivated the arts and killed new-born babies, and its cult of fire walkers, the Society islands abound in the fascinating and the freakish.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

NAVIGATION CLOSES ON THE FOX RIVER

Green Bay, Wis.—After a season which in the opinion of navigators was only "fair" as compared to the season of 1920, navigation on Green Bay and the Fox river which closed officially several weeks ago will probably close altogether this week due to the cold weather which has brought ice on the Bay and Fox river. The channel of the Fox is still free from ice.

Unusually mild weather during December prolonged the navigation season. Barges of beet sugar were being towed into Green Bay regularly up until this time. These barges totalled practically all of the river traffic during the first part of December, although several boats laden with supplies for lumber camps up north left this port.

The buoys in the Fox river have been removed, and it was said that the bridge tenders have closed up their small homes for the winter.

Most of the boats which plied on Green Bay and the Fox river have entered their winter quarters and are undergoing an overhauling to fit them for the season of 1922. River men assert that they look to the new year to be better from a navigation standpoint than the year of 1921.

INTRODUCE CHOP SUEY TO GERMAN RHINELAND

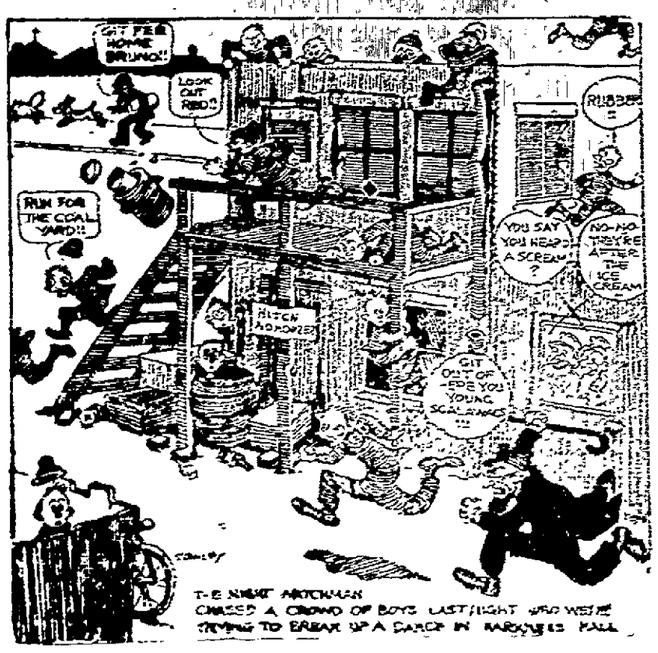
Coblenz — American "chop suey" has been introduced to the Rhinelanders—and they like it!

The chop suey idea was conceived by an American soldier—Walter E. Smith, who opened a shop when his enlistment expired, after 15 years in the army.

Germans didn't pay much attention to the little cafe at first, but curiosity got the best of them at last and finally they began patronizing the place, and the food, served with Chinese trimmings, is quite popular now with the native men and women.

Most bird families do not keep together, but scatter upon leaving the nest. But the bluejay, bluebird, the kingbird, and a few others less generally known live together the greater part of the year, says John Burroughs.

THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY



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WOMEN'S APPAREL

Held in December

SURELY YOU'VE HEARD ABOUT THE WONERFUL VALUES that we are offering in our Clearance Sale of Ladies' Apparel of all kinds. We've been compelled to offer this sale just before Chrisimas in order to reduce our stock to normal proportions by January 1st, and these liberal reductions made now, mean a wonderful opportunity to those who appreciate the value of thrift.

Coming as it does in plenty of time to make your selection for the holiday festivities or for gift purposes, the importance of this sale cannot be overestimated, when the fact that prices have been reduced to January Clearance Sale levels is taken into consideration.

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A very special group o cloth coats, very fine materials, formerly sold at prices ranging from $30 to $57.50, offered at a sacrifice price—

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Your choice of Ladies' Waists, silk in georgettes and canton crepes, values $10 to $15, at— **$8.50**

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One lot of wool dresses for ladies and misses, values from $30 to $42.50,—a value that you cannot match anywhere, at

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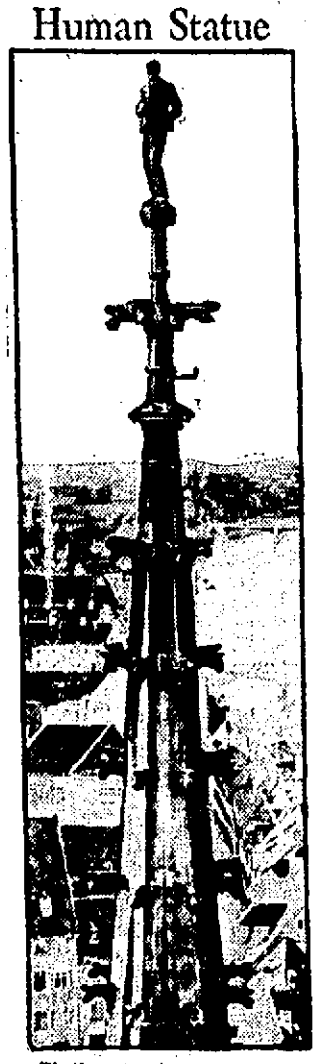
Famous Compositions

M. Saint-Saens's most celebrated musical compositions are, with the date of their publications: "Les Noces de promethee," 1867; "La Princesse Jaune", 1872; "Le Timbre d'Argent," 1877; "Samson et Delila," 1877; "Etienne Marcel," 1879; "Rouet d'Omphale," "Danse Macabre," "Jeunesse d'Hercule," Symphonies en mi, en la, et en ut, "Henry VIII.", 1883; "Ascanio," 1890; "Phryne," 1893; "Choeurs d'Antigone," 1893; "Javotte," 1896; "Dejanire," 1898; "Les Barbares," 1901; "Parysatis," 1902; "Helene," 1903; "L'Ancestre," 1906, and many concertos, senatas and quintettes.

It was on his visit here in 1906 that Saint-Saens announced that he would quit the concert stage, after sixty years of hard work.

Human Statue



That's not a bronze statue atop the Munster Tower in Basle, Switzerland. That's a man smoking his after-breakfast cigaret. Yep, a European daredevil.

OLD BRITISH ROYAL JEWEL

Stone Once Set in Ring of Edward the Confessor Said to Have Power of Curing Sciatica.

Only a few of the early British royal jewels survive in the present regalia. The oldest of these is the sapphire of Edward the Confessor, which was originally set in his coronation ring.

It was buried with him in his shrine in Westminster abbey, but in 1101 the shrine was broken open and this and other jewels received.

The sapphire is in the cross on the top of the king's state crown. Legend has it that St. John once appeared before the Confessor as a pilgrim, and that the monarch gave him the ring, which was returned later. The stone is reputed to have the power of curing sciatica and rheumatism, but has not been so used recently.

The Black Prince's ruby, as big as a hen's egg, came into British possession in 1367, having been taken by Don Pedro of Castile from the Moorish king of Granada, whom he slew in battle. The Black Prince wore it. Henry V displayed it in his helmet at Agincourt. Richard III, hunchback, wore it at Bosworth field. Today this magnificent gem occupies the place of honor in the front of King George's crown.

Some wonderful pearls in the regalia are said to date from Elizabeth's time, though such age for a pearl is doubted. —London Answers.

ODD BELIEFS OF GAMBLERS

Almost Every Devotee of Chance Has Some Pet Superstition, Some of Them Laughable.

Unusually rich in superstitions are the gambling resorts of Deauville and Monte Carlo.

Not the least inexplicable of these strange faiths is the belief voiced by a Russian at Deauville that eating almonds for dinner is the secret of good luck at the tables.

At Monte Carlo this season a man and woman appeared at the tables every night, and while the man played the woman remained seated nursing a black cat. The man at first won considerably; but later his luck changed.

Amethyst tiepins are popular at Deauville because of their alleged luck-bringing virtues.

To play with the third and fourth fingers of the left hand crossed is another device practiced by one woman. She could give no reason for her faith, except that such manipulation of the fingers brought luck.

Turtle Liked the Music.

The teacher of a school at Manchester, N. H., encouraged her pupils to bring small zoological specimens to school in order to become fully acquainted with them. The resulting collection included several turtles of various species. They were all kept in one inclosure. The teacher says: "It was while we had all the specimens together that I learned that they were affected in some way by music. They appeared to be listening when the music lesson was in progress. The next music period found me in the room watching them. Before the lesson began the turtles were moving slowly about, but the moment the singing commenced every head was up in a listening attitude, and I failed to see a movement of head or foot till the music lesson was ended. What their sensations were, of course I could not tell. It is reasonable, however, to believe that they were pleasant, for had they been otherwise the turtle would have appeared restless."

Marriage.

"Snoring in a husband is a nasal certificate of good conduct."

"It doesn't do to put your husband on a pedestal—the best of them is only a baby in a high chair."

"Marriage is a very difficult pursuit. It is no good to a man who has to do anything else. It is like golf, no good unless you can give your whole time to it—and then you will probably lose to an American."

"If any woman tried her wiles on me she would find me adamant." "Yes, with the accent on the Adam."

"I can say no more. It concerns a lady." "Quite." "No, not quite, but a very charming woman."—From a London Play, "The Trump Card."

Walk on Live Coals.

When a Tamil Hindu recovers from a serious illness he sometimes makes a vow to do something entailing discomfort and pain to himself as a sort of manifestation of gratitude combined with self-sacrifice and self-abasement. These vows take different forms, such as rolling over and over on a hard metalled road, lashing himself or being lashed on the bark or wearing a hair shirt, but walking over live coals is the means most commonly chosen by the devotee, this being very often accompanied by other forms of self-torture.

Islands Worth a Visit.

Tahiti is the most important of the Society Islands, and from its principal city, Papeete, one may see Morea island, capped by the stately Mamaea mountain. With its industry of pearl fishing, the famous society of the Areois, who cultivated the arts and killed new-born babies, and its cult of fire walkers, the Society Islands abound in the fascinating and the freakish.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

NAVIGATION CLOSES ON THE FOX RIVER

Green Bay, Wis.—After a season which in the opinion of navigators was only "fair" as compared to the season of 1920, navigation on Green Bay and the Fox river which closed officially several weeks ago will probably close altogether this week due to the cold weather which has brought ice on the Bay and Fox river. The channel of the Fox is still free from ice.

Unusually mild weather during December prolonged the navigation season. Barges of beet sugar were being towed into Green Bay regularly up until this time. These barges totalled practically all of the river traffic during the first part of December, although several boats laden with supplies for lumber camps up north left this port.

The buoys in the Fox river have been removed, and it was said that the bridge tenders have closed up their small homes for the winter.

Most of the boats which plied on Green Bay and the Fox river have entered their winter quarters and are undergoing an overhauling to fit them for the season of 1922. River men assert that they look to the new year to be better from a navigation standpoint than the year of 1921.

INTRODUCE CHOP SUEY TO GERMAN RHINELAND

Coblenz — American "chop suey" has been introduced to the Rhinelanders—and they like it!

The chop suey idea was conceived by an American soldier—Walter E. Smith, who opened a shop when his enlistment expired, after 15 years in the army.

Germans didn't pay much attention to the little cafe at first, but curiosity got the best of them at last and finally they began patronizing the place, and the food, served with Chinese trimmings, is quite popular now with the native men and women.

Most bird families do not keep together, but scatter upon leaving the nest. But the bluejay, bluebird, the kingbird, and a few others less generally known live together the greater part of the year, says John Burroughs.

THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY

A January Clearance of

WOMEN'S APPAREL

Held in December

SURELY YOU'VE HEARD ABOUT THE WONERFUL VALUES that we are offering in our Clearance Sale of Ladies' Apparel of all kinds. We've been compelled to offer this sale just before Christmas in order to reduce our stock to normal proportions by January 1st, and these liberal reductions made now, mean a wonderful opportunity to those who appreciate the value of thrift.

Coming as it does in plenty of time to make your selection for the holiday festivities or for gift purposes, the importance of this sale cannot be overestimated, when the fact that prices have been reduced to January Clearance Sale levels is taken into consideration.

Ladies and Misses

COATS

values $30 to $57.50

A very special group o cloth coats, very fine materials, formerly sold at prices ranging from $30 to $57.50, offered at a sacrifice price—

$14.95

One lot of Ladies' and Misses' Coats, stylish models, in velours, worsteds, which formerly sold up to $50, special for this sale..... **$32.50**

Our entire stock of Ladies and Misses

SUITS

One group suits, fur trimmed and tailored models, values up to $100; broadcloths, velours, tricotines—absolutely sacrificed in this sale at—

1-2 PRICE

Beautiful Waists

Your choice of Ladies' Waists, silk in georgettes and canton crepes, values $10 to $15, at— **$8.50**

One lot of silk waists, georgette, canton crepes and crepe de chines, values $18 to $22.50— **$12.75**

Christmas Gifts

Dolls—Our usual line of beautiful baby dolls, unbreakable bodies, 75c to $5.75.

RIBBONS—A liberal discount on all ribbons. A wonderful assortment from which to choose.

Umbrellas in pure silk, various colors; handles are ivory with ivory and leather carrying straps.

Handkerchiefs, a beautiful selection, ranging in price from 10c to $2.25.

Special—Ladies' plain black wool hose, values 89c per pair, 2 pairs for $1.00.

Gentlemen's handkerchiefs, pure linen, initialed, in boxes of six, prices ranging from $1.75 to $3.25.

Lingerie—A beautiful selection of silk lingerie. Any woman would be delighted with a gift selected from this wonderful assortment.

Ladies' Sweaters — Tuxedo style, values up to $13.75, offered special in this sale for $8.00.

M. & K. Corsets—One lot of corsets in values up to $3.75. Special for this sale, $1.50.

DRESSES

Values to $57.50

One lot of wool dresses for ladies and misses, values from $30 to $42.50,—a value that you cannot match anywhere, at

$19.75

Values to $35

One group taffeta dresses, values up to $35.00, absolutely sacrificed in this December Sale—

$7.95

Wool skirts—a beautiful assortment, plaids and stripes. During this sale we are offering a liberal discount on all of these goods.

Hats, just a few left—Values up to $12.50. Sale price, $2.50.

Children's Dresses ½ Price

Miller's Store

West Side - Near Bridge Wisconsin Rapids

The Green Pea Pirates

By PETER B. KYNE

Author of "Webster—Man's Man," "The Valley of the Giants," Etc.

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Mr. Gibney met the spokesman at the rail and they rubbed noses very

They Rubbed Noses Very Solemnly.

solemnly, after the manner of salutation in Kandavu. Captain Scraggs bustled forward, full of importance.

"Interduce me, Gib," he said amiably, and then, while Mr. Gibney favored him with a sour glance, Captain Scraggs stuck out his hand and shook briskly with the native.

"Happy to make your acquaintance," he said. "Scraggs is my name, sir. Shake hands with McGuffey, our chief engineer. Hope you left all the folks at home well. What'd you say your name was?"

The islander hadn't said his name was anything, but he grinned now and replied that it was Tabu-Tabu.

"Well, my bucko," muttered McGuffey, who always drew the color line, "I'm glad to hear that. But you ain't the only thing that's taboo around this packet. You can jest check that war club with the first mate, pendin' our better acquaintance. Hand it over, you black beggar, or I'll hit you a swat in the ear that'll hurt all your relations. And hereafter, Scraggsy, just keep your nigger friends to yourself. I ain't waxin' effusive over this savage, and it's agin my principles ever to shake hands with a colored man. This chap's a d—d ugly customer, and you take my word for it."

Tabu-Tabu grinned again, walked to the rail, and tossed his war club down into the canoe.

"Me good missionary boy," he said rather humbly.

"McGuffey, my dear boy," protested Captain Scraggs, "don't be so doggone rude. You might hurt this poor lad's feelin's. Of course he's only a simple native nigger, but even a dawg has feelin's. You——"

"Z-r-r-rh!" snarled McGuffey.

"You two belay talkin' and snappin' at each other," commanded Mr. Gibney, "an' leave all bargainin' to me. This boy is all right and we'll get along first rate if you two just haul ship and do somethin' useful besides buttin' in on your superior officer. Come along, Tabu-Tabu. Makee little eat down in cabin. You walkee captain."

"Gib, my dear boy," sputtered Captain Scraggs, bursting with curiosity, following the commodore's reappearance on deck, "whatever's in the wind?"

"Money—fortune," said Mr. Gibney, solemnly.

McGuffey edged up and eyed the commodore seriously. "Sure there ain't a little fightin' mixed up in it?" he asked.

"Not a bit of it," replied Mr. Gibney. "You're as safe on Kandavu as if you was in church. This Tabu kid is sort of prime minister to the king, with a heap of influence at court. The crew of a British cruiser stole him for a galley police when he was a kid, and he got civilized and learned to talk English. He was a cannibal in them days, but the chaplain aboard showed him how foolish it was to do such things, and finally Tabu-Tabu got religion and asked as a special favor to be allowed to return to Kandavu to civilize his people. As a result of Tabu-Tabu's efforts, he tells me the king has concluded that when he eats a white man he's flyin' in the face of his own interests, and most generally a gunboat comes along in a few months and shells the bush, and—well, anyhow, there ain't been a barbecue on Kandavu for ten years. It's a capital crime to eat a man now, and punishable by boilin' the offender alive in palm oil."

"Well," rumbled McGuffey, "this Tabu-Tabu don't look much like a preacher, if you ask me. But how about this black coral?"

"Oh, I've ribbed up a deal with him," said Mr. Gibney. "He'll see that we get all the trade we can lug away. We're the first vessel that's touched here in two years, and they have a thunderin' lot of stuff on hand. Tabu's gone ashore to talk the king into doin' business with us. If he consents, we'll have him and Tabu-Tabu and three or four of the subchiefs aboard for dinner, or else he'll invite us ashore for a big feed, and we'll have to go."

"Supposin' the king don't care to have any truck with us?" inquired McGuffey, anxiously.

"In that case, Mac," replied the commodore with a smile, "we'll just naturally shell him out of house and home."

"Well, then," said McGuffey, "let's get the guns ready. Somethin' tells me these people ain't to be trusted, and I'm tellin' you right now, Gib, I won't sleep well tonight unless them two quarter gatlings and the Maxim-Vickers rapid-fire guns is mounted and ready for business."

"All right, Mac," replied Mr. Gibney, in the tone one uses when humoring a baby. "Set 'em up if it'll make you feel more cheerful. Still, I don't see why you want to go actin' so foolish over nothin'."

"Well, Gib," replied the engineer, "I may be crazy, but I ain't no fool, and if there's a dead whale around the ship, I can come pretty near smellin' it. I tell you, Gib, that Tabu-Tabu nigger had a look in his eye for all the world like a cur dog lickin' a bone. I ain't takin' no chances. My old man used to say: 'Bart, whatever you do, allers have an anchor out to windward.'"

"By the left hind leg of the Great Sacred Bull," snapped Captain Scraggs, "if you ain't enough to precipitate war."

"War," replied McGuffey, "is my long suit—particularly war with native niggers. I just naturally crave to punch the ear of anything darker than a Portugee. Remember how I cleaned out the police department of Panama?"

"Mount the guns if you're goin' to, Mac. If not, for the love of the Lord don't be demoralizin' the crew with this talk of war. All I ask is that you set the guns after I've finished my business here with Tabu-Tabu. He's been on a war vessel, and knows what guns are, and if he saw you mountin' them it might break up our friendly relations. He'll think we don't trust him."

"Well, we don't," replied McGuffey, doggedly.

"Well, we do," snapped Captain Scraggs.

There is always something connected with the use of that pronoun of kings which eats like a canker at the heart of men of the McGuffey breed. That officer now spat on the deck, in defiance of the rules of his superior officers, and glared at Captain Scraggs.

"Speak for yourself, you miserable little wart," he roared. "If you include me on that cannibals' visitin' list, and go to contradictin' me agin, I'll——"

"Mac," interrupted Mr. Gibney, angrily, "control yourself. It's agin the rules to have rag-chewin' and back-bitin' on the Maggie II. Remember our motto: 'All for one and one for all'——"

"Here comes that sneakin' bushy-headed murderer back to the vessel," interrupted McGuffey. "I wonder what devilment he's up to now."

Mr. McGuffey was partly right, for in a few minutes Tabu-Tabu came alongside, climbed aboard, and salaamed. Mr. Gibney, fearful of McGuffey's inability to control his antipathy for the race, beckoned Captain Scraggs and Tabu-Tabu to follow him down into the cabin. Meanwhile, McGuffey contented himself by parading backward and forward across the fo'castle head with a Mauser rifle in the hollow of his arm and his person fairly bristling with pistols and cutlasses. Whenever one of the flotilla of canoes hove to at a respectful distance, showed signs of crossing an imaginary deadline drawn by McGuffey, he would point his rifle at them and swear horribly. He scowled at Tabu-Tabu when that individual finally emerged

McGuffey Contented Himself by Parading Backward and Forward Across the Fo' Castle Head.

from the conference with Mr. Gibney and Scraggs and went over the side to his waiting canoe.

"Well, what's in the wind this time?" inquired McGuffey.

"We're invited to a big feed with the king of Kandavu," replied Captain Scraggs, as happy as a boy. "Hop into a clean suit of ducks, Mac, and come along. Gib's goin' to broach a little keg of liquor and we'll make a night of it."

"Good lord," groaned McGuffey, "does the man think I'm low enough to eat with niggers?"

"Leave him to his own devices," said Mr. Gibney, indulgently. "Mac's just as Irish as if he'd been born in Dublin, instead of his old man. Nobody yet overcome the prejudice of an Irishman so we'll do the honors ourself, Scraggsy, old skittles, and leave Mac in charge of the ship."

"Mind you're both back at a seasonable hour," warned McGuffey. "If you ain't, I'll suspect mischief and—say! Gib! Well, what's the use of talkin' to a man with an imagination? Only if I have to go ashore after you two, those islanders'll date time from my visit, and don't you forget it."

(To be continued)

The son of a wealthy New Yorker is washing dishes in a hotel to learn the business from the ground up. That's the way to break in.

A Chicago woman has been granted a divorce because her husband spanked her. That is "rough stuff" but not so objectionable as the Stillman method.

All the nations have agreed upon China's neutrality in future wars. Poor China.

Wandering Jew's Christmas.

There was a common belief in some countries that the spirits of the lost had rest on Christmas night, and that when the hour comes that ushers in the holy season, the wandering Jew rests his weary feet, and with sad, upturned face gazes in the direction of Jerusalem where he struck the Savior in the time of his trial. A lamp or candle must not be permitted to burn to its end on Christmas, as that forbodes a death in the family during that year. For the same reason a live coal must not be taken out of the home on that day.

Celery Soup.

Take the coarse outer stalks of a bunch of celery and scrub them well. Cut into small pieces; cover with boiling water and boil until tender in an uncovered saucepan. Drain and save the water. Mash the celery through a colander, return to water and boil for ten minutes. To each cupful of celery water add a cupful of hot milk, two level tablespoonfuls of butter and one level tablespoonful of flour rubbed together. Season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle chopped parsley over the top of each bowl and serve with croutons.

START NOW
Try to save a little
From the cost of livin';
Christmas time is coming,
With its cost of givin'.

Christmas in Peru.

A midnight mass is generally held the night before Christmas in Peru. Christmas day is generally celebrated by a huge spectacular bull fight, and after this has taken place, a religious procession follows, at the head of which usually is held a statue of the Virgin. When this ceremony is over people are free to enjoy themselves as they choose for the rest of the day.

Market News

Potatoes

Carlot shipments for the U. S. past 24 hours: Northern District California 13, Colorado 31, Idaho 22, Maine 120, Mass. 3, Michigan 25, Minnesota 22, Nebraska 14, Nevada 4, New Jersey 2, Long Island 6, other New York 45, Oregon 3, Pennsylvania 5, East Shore Virginia 1, Washington 20, Wisconsin 13, Wyoming 1, total 358 cars. Imports, Canada 4 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Waupaca & Northern Wisconsin points: Carlot's f. o. b. usual terms: Very light inquiry, demand and movement slow, market steady. Sacked Round Whites, U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $1.50, few sales at $1.55-1.60: Warehouse cash to growers. Demand and movement slow, market dull, little change in prices. Bulk Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 at Waupaca $1.00, at other Wisconsin points $1.00-1.25 mostly $1.00-1.10.

Leading Markets

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady: Jobbing sales; Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 sacked $1.90-2.00; Unclassified Round Whites sacked and bulk mostly $1.60: Rurals crated, U. S. Grade No. 1½ bbl. crates mostly $3.25 per crate.

Chicago: 33 carlot arrivals, Wisconsin contributed 16 to this amount. 88 cars on track. Demand slow, movement limited, market steady; Carlots outweight; Wisconsin sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.70-1.80; Minnesota sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70: Minnesota sacked Red River Ohio's sacked U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70: Idaho sacked Russetts U. S. Grade No. 1 $2.00-2.15; Rurals sacked U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.55-1.90.

Cabbage

Carlots: Wisconsin 3, total all states 90 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Somers: Demand and movement moderate, market fair: Prices to growers f. o. b. Somers, U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type mostly $40-43.

Appleton: Demand and movement moderate, market steady: Prices to growers f. o. b. Appleton U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type mostly $40-45.

Leading Markets

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady; Jobbing sales, Holland Type bushel baskets $1.25; barrels $3.50-3.75.

Chicago: Carlot arrivals, Wisconsin 3 New York 1, California 2, total 6 cars arrived. 26 cars on track: Jobbing sales; Wisconsin & New York Danish Type sacked per ton delivered $45-50.

Cheese Markets

Domestic Cheese: (Prices given are majority sales). Wisconsin primary points: Flats, 20½c: Twins 19¾c; Single Daises 20c; Double Daises 20c: Young Americas 21½c: Longhorns 21½c: Square Prints 22c.

Foreign Cheese: Chicago—Swiss fancy 38-39c; Swiss No. 1 36c; Swiss No. 2 22c; Limburger fancy 1 pounders 24-25c; Limburger fancy 2 pounders 23-25c; Limburger No. 1, 1 pounders 21c; Limburger No. 1 2 pounders 20c: Brick fancy 18½-19c.

Butter & Egg Markets

Notice: Following market is the early morning "flash". All sales butter on tub-lot jobbing basis, all egg sales on case lot jobbing basis.

Chicago Markets: Butter market Easy. Half cent lower on extras at 43c standards unchanged at 37c: Firsts 34-41c: Seconds 31-33c: 2 sales 79 extras at 43c; 2 sales 52 tubs extras 42½c: Offerings standards 37½c bid 36½: Offerings withdrawn. Short held standards 37½c: 91 score 43c; 90 score 40c. Firsts 36-40c no bids. Receipts 6348.

Egg Market: Steady and unchanged. Receipts 2847.

LEGALS

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT
(12-12-19-26)

State of Wisconsin, Wood County Court, In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of August Mau, deceased.

On reading and filing the application of Herman Gouchee, representing among other things that he has fully administered the said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing his account of his administration, and that the residue of the said estate be assigned to such persons as are by law entitled to the same;

It Is Ordered, that said application be heard before this Court, at a special term thereof to be held at the probate office, in the city of Wisconsin Rapids on the 27th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m.

And It is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place of examining and allowing said account, and of assigning the residue of said estate, be given to all persons interested by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks, in the Daily Tribune, a newspaper published in said County, before the day fixed for said hearing.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1921.

By the Court.

Chas. E. Briere, Atty. for Estate. W. J. Conway, County Judge.

NOTICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(10-5-12-12)

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT WOOD COUNTY—IN PROBATE.

In Re Estate of Alice Edwards, Deceased.

Notice Is Hereby Given, That at the Term of said Court to be held on the 4th Tuesday (being the 27th day) of December, A. D. 1921, at the Court House in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, County of Wood and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered the application of James Edwards and Harold Edwards for the appointment of an adimnistrator of the estate of Alice Edwards, late of the City of Wisconsin Rapids, in said County, deceased;

Notice Is Hereby Further Given, That at the Term of said Court to be held at said Court House on the 1st Tuesday, (being the 4th day) of April, A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Alice Edwards, deceased;

And Notice Is Hereby Further Given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House, in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, in said County and State, on or before the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1922, or be barred.

Dated December 3rd, 1921.

By the Court,

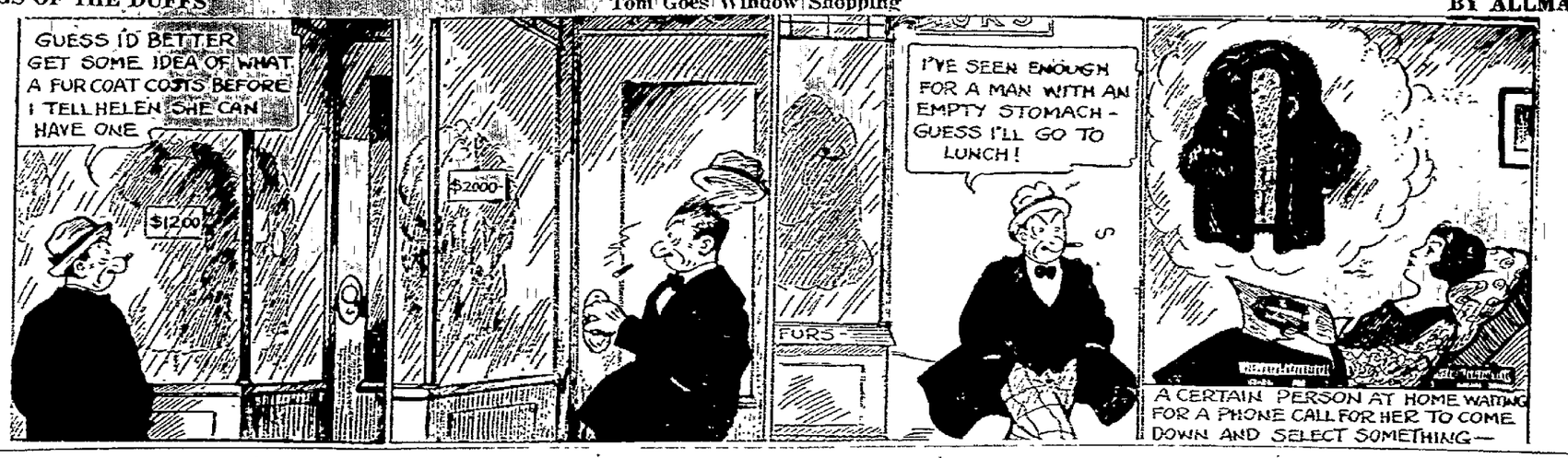
J. J. Jeffrey, Atty. for Estate. W. J. Conway, County Judge.

Nobody can do as much for you as you can do for yourself.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Tom Goes Window Shopping

BY ALLMAN



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3 times	9c per line
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No ad taken for less than two lines nor less than 25c for one time.

All classified ads strictly cash in advance.

To insure publication the day they are received, all classified advertisements must be in this office not later than 11:00 o'clock a. m.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl at Commercial Hotel. 12-19tf

NURSES—We give a thoro 2 year course. Education, books, uniforms, room and board and $10 a month. Grammar school education required. Apply Robert Burns' Hospital Training School, 3807 Washington Blvd., Chicago.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—2 men to do special advertising on a selling proposition. Steady work and good returns for hard working, neat appearing young men. Ask for H. L. Chapelle at the Hotel Witter. 12-19

WANTED—Salesman with car capable of qualifying as our District Manager in this territory. Master Production Corporation, South Bend, Ind. 12-19

SATISFIED
the verdict of Arcola owners
ERON THE PLUMBER
PLUMBING THAT PLEASES
WISCONSIN RAPIDS

MALE HELP WANTED—Applicants for the coming railway clerk examination, write Frank Pergande, 937 Bartlet Avenue, Milwaukee for instructions. 12-23

WANTED—Married men who will move their families, houses renting from $5.50 to $12.00 per month, wood $2.25 per load, steady work assured. Applicants must furnish recommendations from last employers. Write the Connor Lumber & Land Co., Forest County, Laona, Wis.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 551 4th Ave. N. Phone Green 767. 12-21

FOR RENT—Desirable office rooms in the postoffice block. Inquire Wood County National Bank. 12-21

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One home billiard table 3x5 ft. Top reverses to make library table. Call 1115. 12-19tf

LOST

LOST—Blue blanket. Finder call Red 768 Garrow Taxi line. Reward. 12-19

LOCAL REAL ESTATE

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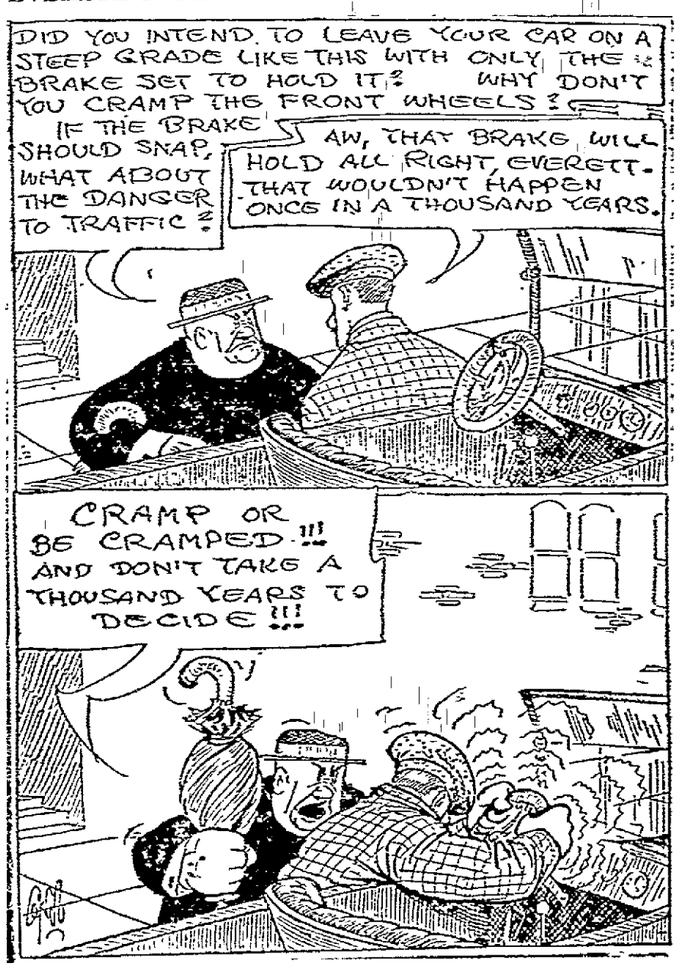

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The Green Pea Pirates

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Mr. Gibney met the spokesman at the rail and they rubbed noses very

They Rubbed Noses Very Solemnly.

solemnly, after the manner of salutation in Kandavu. Captain Scraggs bustled forward, full of importance.

"Interduce me, Gib," he said amiably, and then, while Mr. Gibney favored him with a sour glance, Captain Scraggs stuck out his hand and shook briskly with the native.

"Happy to make your acquaintance," he said. "Scraggs is my name, sir. Shake hands with McGuffey, our chief engineer. Hope you left all the folks at home well. What'd you say your name was?"

The Islander hadn't said his name was anything, but he grinned now and replied that it was Tabu-Tabu.

"Well, my bucko," muttered McGuffey, who always drew the color line, "I'm glad to hear that. But you ain't the only thing that's tuboo around this packet. You can jest check that war club with the first mate, pendin' our better acquaintance. Hand it over, you black beggar, or I'll hit you a swat in the ear that'll hurt all your relations. And hereafter, Scraggsy, just keep your nigger friends to yourself. I ain't waxin' effusive over this savage, and it's agin my principles ever to shake hands with a colored man. This chap's a d—d ugly customer, and you take my word for it."

Tabu-Tabu grinned again, walked to the rail, and tossed his war club down into the canoe.

"Me good missionary boy," he said, rather humbly.

"McGuffey, my dear boy," protested Captain Scraggs, "don't be so doggone rude. You might hurt this poor lad's feelin's. Of course he's only a simple native nigger, but even a dawg has feelin's. You——"

"A-r-r-rh!" snarled McGuffey.

"You two belay talkin' and snappin' at each other," commanded Mr. Gibney, "an' leave all bargainin' to me. This boy is all right and we'll get along first rate if you two just haul ship and do somethin' useful besides buttin' in on your superior officer. Come along, Tabu-Tabu. Makee little eat down in cabin. You talkee captain."

"Gib, my dear boy," sputtered Captain Scraggs, bursting with curiosity, following the commodore's reappearance on deck, "whatever's in the wind?"

"Money—fortune," said Mr. Gibney, solemnly.

McGuffey edged up and eyed the commodore seriously. "Sure there ain't a little fightin' mixed up in it?" he asked.

"Not a bit of it," replied Mr. Gibney. "You're as safe on Kandavu as if you was in church. This Tabu kid is sort of prime minister to the king, with a heap of influence at court. The crew of a British cruiser stole him for a galley pollee when he was a kid, and he got civilized and learned to talk English. He was a cannibal in them days, but the chaplain aboard showed him how foolish it was to do such things, and finally Tabu-Tabu got religion and asked as a special favor to be allowed to return to Kandavu to civilize his people. As a result of Tabu-Tabu's efforts, he tells me the king has concluded that when he eats a white man he's flyin' in the face of his own interests, and most generally a gunboat comes along in a few months and shells the bush, and—well, anyhow, there ain't been a barbecue on Kandavu for ten years. It's a capital crime to eat a man now, and punishable by boilin' the offender alive in palm oil."

"Well," rumbled McGuffey, "this Tabu-Tabu don't look much like a preacher, if you ask me. But how about this black coral?"

"Oh, I've ribbed up a deal with him," said Mr. Gibney. "He'll see that we get all the trade we can lug away. We're the first vessel that's touched here in two years, and they have a thundertin' lot of stuff on hand. Tabu's gone ashore to talk the king into doin' business with us. If he consents, we'll have him and Tabu-Tabu and three or four of the subchiefs aboard for dinner, or else he'll invite us ashore for a big feed, and we'll have to go."

"Supposin' the king don't care to have any truck with us?" inquired McGuffey, anxiously.

"In that case, Mac," replied the commodore with a smile, "we'll just naturally shell him out of house and home."

"Well, then," said McGuffey, "let's get the guns ready. Somethin' tells me these people ain't to be trusted, and I'm tellin' you right now, Gib, I won't sleep well tonight unless them two quarter gatlings and the Maxim-Vickers rapid-fire guns is mounted and ready for business."

"All right, Mac," replied Mr. Gibney, in the tone one uses when humoring a baby. "Set 'em up if it'll make you feel more cheerful. Still, I don't see why you want to go actin' so foolish over nothin'."

"Well, Gib," replied the engineer, "I may be crazy, but I ain't no fool, and if there's a dead whale around the ship, I can come pretty near smellin' it. I tell you, Gib, that Tabu-Tabu nigger had a look in his eye for all the world like a cur dog lickin' a bone. I ain't takin' no chances. My old man used to say: 'Bart, whatever you do, allers have an anchor out to windward.'"

"By the left hind leg of the Great Sacred Bull," snapped Captain Scraggs, "if you ain't enough to precipitate war."

"War," replied McGuffey, "is my long suit—particularly war with native niggers. I just naturally crave to punch the ear of anything darker than a Portugee. Remember how I cleaned out the police department of Panama?"

"Mount the guns if you're goin' to, Mac. If not, for the love of the Lord don't be demoralizin' the crew with this talk of war. All I ask is that you set the guns after I've finished my business here with Tabu-Tabu. He's been on a war vessel, and knows what guns are, and if he saw you mountin' them it might break up our friendly relations. He'll think we don't trust him."

"Well, we don't," replied McGuffey, doggedly.

"Well, we do," snapped Captain Scraggs.

There is always something connected with the use of that pronoun of kings which eats like a canker at the heart of men of the McGuffey breed. That officer now spat on the deck, in defiance of the rules of his superior officers, and glared at Captain Scraggs.

"Speak for yourself, you miserable little wart," he roared. "If you include me on that cannibals' visitin' list, and go to contradictin' me agin, I'll——"

"Mac," interrupted Mr. Gibney, angrily, "control yourself. It's agin the rules to have rag-chewin' and back-bitin' on the Maggie II. Remember our motto: 'All for one and one for all' ——"

"Here comes that sneakin' bushy-headed murderer back to the vessel," interrupted McGuffey. "I wonder what devilment he's up to now."

Mr. McGuffey was partly right, for in a few minutes Tabu-Tabu came alongside, climbed aboard, and salaamed. Mr. Gibney, fearful of McGuffey's inability to control his antipathy for the race, beckoned Captain Scraggs and Tabu-Tabu to follow him down into the cabin. Meanwhile, McGuffey contented himself by parading backward and forward across the fo'castle head with a Mauser rifle in the hollow of his arm and his person fairly bristling with pistols and cutlasses. Whenever one of the flotilla of canoes hove to at a respectful distance, showed signs of crossing an imaginary deadline drawn by McGuffey, he would point his rifle at them and swear horribly. He scowled at Tabu-Tabu when that individual finally emerged

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from the conference with Mr. Gibney and Scraggs and went over the side to his waiting canoe.

"Well, what's in the wind this time?" inquired McGuffey.

"We're invited to a big feed with the king of Kandavu," replied Captain Scraggs, as happy as a boy. "Hop into a clean suit of ducks, Mac, and come along. Gib's goin' to broach a little keg of liquor and we'll make a night of it."

"Good lord," groaned McGuffey, "does the man think I'm low enough to eat with niggers?"

"Leave him to his own devices," said Mr. Gibney, indulgently. "Mac's just as Irish as if he'd been born in Dublin, instead of his old man. Nobody yet overcome the prejudice of an Irishman so we'll do the honors ourself, Scraggsy, old skittles, and leave Mac in charge of the ship."

"Mind you're both back at a seasonable hour," warned McGuffey. "If you ain't, I'll suspect mischief and—say! Gib! Well, what's the use of talkin' to a man with an imagination? Only if I have to go ashore after you two, those islanders'll date time from my visit, and don't you forget it."

(To be continued)

The son of a wealthy New Yorker is washing dishes in a hotel to learn the business from the ground up. That's the way to break in.

A Chicago woman has been granted a divorce because her husband spanked her. That is "rough stuff" but not so objectionable as the Stillman method.

All the nations have agreed upon China's neutrality in future wars. Poor China.

Wandering Jew's Christmas.

There was a common belief in some countries that the spirits of the lost had rest on Christmas night, and that when the hour comes that ushers in the holy season, the wandering Jew rests his weary feet, and with sad, upturned face gazes in the direction of Jerusalem where he struck the Savior in the time of his trial. A lamp or candle must not be permitted to burn to its end on Christmas, as that forbodes a death in the family during that year. For the same reason a live coal must not be taken out of the home on that day.

Celery Soup.

Take the coarse outer stalks of a bunch of celery and scrub them well. Cut into small pieces; cover with boiling water and boil until tender in an uncovered saucepan. Drain and save the water. Mash the celery through a colander, return to water and boil for ten minutes. To each cupful of celery water add a cupful of hot milk, two level tablespoonfuls of butter and one level tablespoonful of flour rubbed together. Season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle chopped parsley over the top of each bowl and serve with croutons.

START NOW
Try to save a little
From the cost of livin';
Christmas time is coming,
With its cost of givin'.

Christmas in Peru.

A midnight mass is generally held the night before Christmas in Peru. Christmas day is generally celebrated by a huge spectacular bull fight, and after this has taken place, a religious procession follows, at the head of which usually is held a statue of the Virgin. When this ceremony is over people are free to enjoy themselves as they choose for the rest of the day.

Market News

Potatoes

Carlot shipments for the U. S. past 24 hours: Northern District California 13, Colorado 31, Idaho 22, Maine 120, Mass. 3, Michigan 25, Minnesota 22, Nebraska 14, Nevada 4, New Jersey 2, Long Island 6, other New York 45, Oregon 3, Pennsylvania 5, East Shore Virginia 1, Washington 20, Wisconsin 13, Wyoming 1, total 358 cars. Imports, Canada 4 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Waupaca & Northern Wisconsin points: Carlot's f. o. b. usual terms: Very light inquiry, demand and movement slow, market steady. Sacked Round Whites, U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $1.50, few sales at $1.55-1.60: Warehouse cash to growers. Demand and movement slow, market dull, little change in prices. Bulk Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 at Waupaca $1.00, at other Wisconsin points $1.00-1.25 mostly $1.00-1.10.

Leading Markets

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady; Jobbing sales; Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 sacked $1.90-2.00; Unclassified Round Whites sacked and bulk mostly $1.60: Rurals crated, U. S. Grade No. 1½ bbl. crates mostly $3.25 per crate.

Chicago: 33 carlot arrivals. Wisconsin contributed 16 to this amount. 88 cars on track. Demand slow, movement limited, market steady; Carlots outweight; Wisconsin sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.70-1.80; Minnesota sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70; Minnesota sacked Red River Ohio's sacked U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70; Idaho sacked Russetts U. S. Grade No. 1 $2.00-2.15; Rurals sacked U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.85-1.90.

Cabbage

Carlots: Wisconsin 3, total all states 90 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Somers: Demand and movement moderate, market fair: Prices to growers f. o. b. Somers, U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type mostly $40-43.

Appleton: Demand and movement moderate, market steady: Prices to growers f. o. b. Appleton U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type mostly $40-45.

Leading Markets

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady; Jobbing sales. Holland Type bushel baskets $1.35; barrels $3.50-3.75.

Chicago: Carlot arrivals, Wisconsin 3 New York 1, California 2, total 6 cars arrived. 36 cars on track: Jobbing sales; Wisconsin & New York Danish Type sacked per ton delivered $45-50.

Cheese Markets

Domestic Cheese: (Prices given are majority sales). Wisconsin primary points: Flats, 20½c; Twins 19¾c; Single Daises 20c; Double Daises 20c; Young Americas 21¼c; Longhorns 21½c; Square Prints 22c.

Foreign Cheese: Chicago—Swiss fancy 38-39c; Swiss No. 1 36c; Swiss No. 2 22c; Limburger fancy 1 pounders 24-25c; Limburger fancy 2 pounders 23-25c; Limburger No. 1, 1 pounders 21c; Limburger No. 1 2 pounders 20c; Brick fancy 18½-19c.

Butter & Egg Markets

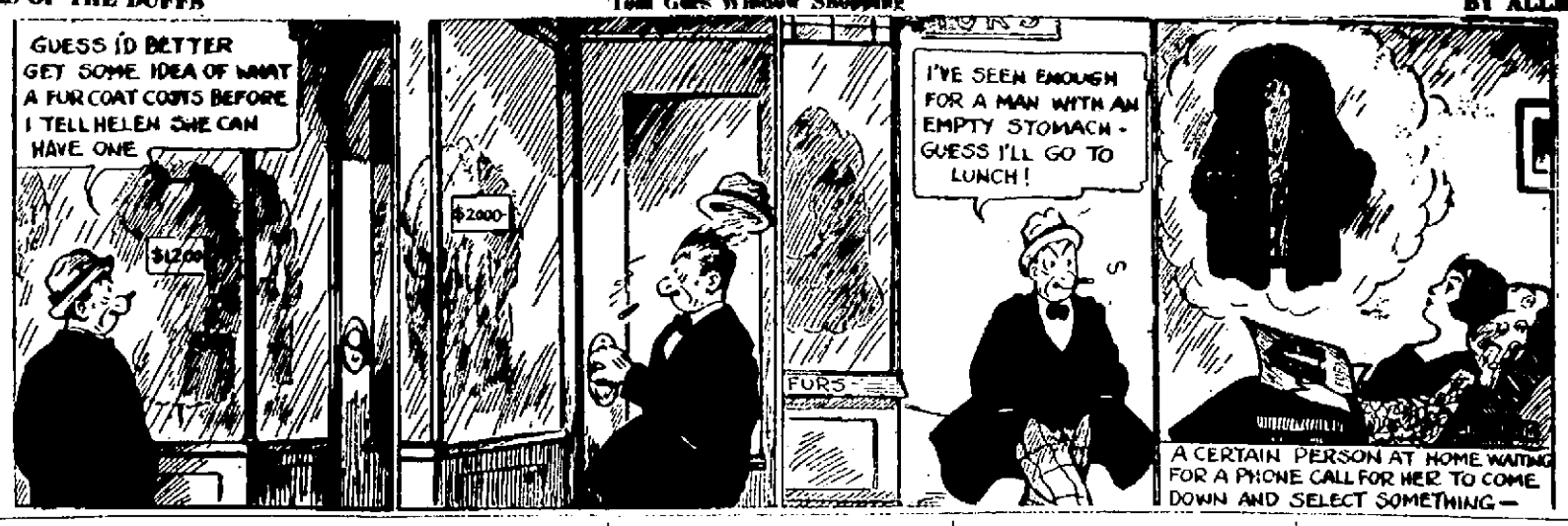
Notice: Following market is the early morning "flash". All sales butter on tub-lot jobbing basis, all egg sales on case lot jobbing basis.

Chicago Markets: Butter market Easy. Half cent lower on extras at 43c standards unchanged at 37c; Firsts 34-41c; Seconds 31-33c; 2 sales 79 extras at 43c; 2 sales 52 tubs extras 42½c; Offerings standards 37½c bid 36½; Offerings withdrawn. Short held standards 37½c; 91 score 43c; 90 score 40c; Firsts 36-40c no bids. Receipts 6348.

Egg Market: Steady and unchanged. Receipts 2847.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Tom Goes Window Shopping — BY ALLMAN



LEGALS

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT
(12-12-19-26)

State of Wisconsin, Wood County Court, In Probate.

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On reading and filing the application of Herman Gouchee, representing among other things that he has fully administered the said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing his account of his administration, and that the residue of the said estate be assigned to such persons as are by law entitled to the same;

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And It is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place of examining and allowing said account, and of assigning the residue of said estate, be given to all persons interested by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks, in the Daily Tribune, a newspaper published in said County, before the day fixed for said hearing.

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(10-5-12-12)

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In Re Estate of Alice Edwards, Deceased.

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Dated December 3rd, 1921.

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The list of patrons and patronesses of the Charity Ball given under the auspices of the Sunrise Club at the Elks Club December 28 have been announced. They are:

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Mead.
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac P. Witter.
Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Looze.
Mr. and Mrs. Franz Rosebush.
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Goggins.
Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Marvin.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roenius.
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brazeau,
Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hill.
Judge and Mrs. W. J. Conway.

The patrons and patronesses will form a receiving line and welcome the guests preceding the ball. The grand march will be led by Mr. and Mrs R. J. Mott and Mr. and Mrs. E. B Redford The patrons and patronesses will fall in line following the leaders of the march, which will start at 9:30 o' clock.

Booths for the sale of novelties, special decorations, prize dances and other stunts will be features of the evening.

Each year for the past two years, the Sunrise Club has sponsored the Charity ball and in the past have been very successful in raising a substantial fund for use by the relief committee of the City Federation of Women. This year when more than the usual funds are needed it is hoped there will be a liberal atterdance at the ball.

Weddings

BURNS—DOUGHTY

Orrie Doughty, son of O. Doughty of this city, and Miss Rosetta Burns of Neenah, were united in marriage Friday afternoon, December Seventeenth, at the Congregational church office, by Rev Noel J. Breed, Pastor of the church They were attended by Mr and Mrs. Archie Doughty, Mr. Doughty being a brother of the groom.

The groom was born, brought up and educated in this city, and served overseas in the late war.

Mr. and Mrs. Doughty will reside in Wisconsin Rapids.

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Christian Endeavor Meeting—

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Methodist church held a regular meeting of the society combined with a missionary meeting, Sunday evening, at the church parlors, at the close of which a Christmas service was held with music, and Christmas Carols sung by the church choir. A very pretty feature of the service was the illumination of a Christmas tree gaily decorated and occupying a conspicuous place. Each member going to the tree and lighting a candle, just before taking his place in the choir.

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LEST YOU FORGET

Tonight

Palace Theater—Alice Brady in "Land of Hope."

Ideal Theater—"Winners of the West," and "The Man from Montana."

F. & A. M. Installation.

Future Dates

Dec. 21 Ideal Theater—"The Barricade."

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ATTRACTIVE DECORATIONS AND FEATURES ARRANGED FOR BENEFIT DANCE; TICKETS GOING FAST

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Booths for the sale of novelties, special decorations, prize dances and other stunts will be features of the evening.

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Weddings

BURNS—DOUGHTY

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LOCAL BASKET FIVE EMERGES VICTORIOUS IN FIRST REAL BATTLE OF SEASON

The Tri-Cities basket men kept a clean slate for the season by defeating the Oshkosh B'Gosh Overall five Saturday evening by a 25 to 19 score in the fastest and most closely contested game seen on the local floor this fall. The visitors had a systematic five man defense that kept down the Tri-City score, but failed to take advantage of their own opportunities to score. The stellar work of Myron Hill at guard was the feature of the local five's play.

Hold Lead

The Tri-Cities opened the scoring with a field goal by Stark and were never headed, although at several times there was only a margin of one point between the teams. Both teams were forced to rely chiefly on shots from outside the free throw line for their scores, and it was largely due to the proficiency of Mike Knapp at caging the long ones that the locals built up their lead.

Start Rally

With the score 14 to 7 against them at the opening of the second period, Oshkosh started a rally which brought their score within three points of the Tri-Cities at one time. Goals by O'Brien and Schultz, and a sensational throw from mid-floor by Steckbauer, together with a couple of free throws, added ten points to the visitors score, while the Tri-Cities were adding six. A couple of more goals and three free throws by Ritchay took the game out of danger, however, the final score being 25 to 19 in favor of the Wisconsin Rapids five.

Lineups and Summary:-

Tri-City (25)

	g	f	p	t
Ritchay, RF.	4	7	2	0
Stark, LF.	1	0	0	0
Knapp, LF.	4	0	0	1
Plahmer, C.	0	0	0	0
Hill, RG.	0	0	3	1
Johnson, LG.	0	0	1	0
	9	7	6	2

Oshkosh (19)

Schultz, RF.	3	3	1	1
O'Brien, LF.	2	0	4	1
Steckbauer, C.	1	0	1	0
Leland, RG.	0	0	1	1
Webster, LG.	2	0	2	0
	8	3	9	3

Free Throws missed: Ritchay, 5 out of 12; Webster, 1 out of 1; Schultz, 4 out of 7.

Referee: Schrank.

Bowling

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Major League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cubs	4	2	.667
Consolidated	6	3	.667
Rapids	6	3	.667
Sure Shots	4	2	.667
Highways	5	4	.555
Bachelors	2	7	.222
Foundries	9	6	.600

Minor League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Glenes*	5	1	.833
Laundries*	4	2	.667
Sulphites	6	3	.667
Wood Co. Banks	3	5	.375
National Guards	3	6	.333
Buicks	2	6	.250

Sulphites Take Three

The Sulphite five took two out of three from the Guards Sunday afternoon in the match postponed from the previous evening. Kwasigroch of the Sulphites bowled high game with 221 and Laramie took high average for three games with 150.

Guards

Miscoll	156	154	126	436
Witter	109	91	127	327
Smith	94	127	125	346
Laramie	185	133	131	449
Zeaman	154	78	110	342
Totals	698	583	619	1900

Sulphites

Kraske	141	168		309
Brayton			95	95
Plahmer	94	113		207
McCourt		136	120	256
Berg	133	166	145	444
Kwasigroch	221		102	323
Simpson	138	124	161	423
Totals	727	707	623	2057

Schedule

Following is the schedule for this week:

Monday—Bachelors vs. Highway.
Tuesday—Buicks vs. Sulphite.
Wednesday—Sure Shots vs. Foundries.
Thursday—Glenes vs. Wood Co. Bank.
Friday—Consolidated vs. Clubs.
Saturday—Laundry vs. National Guard.

Basketball

Madison—Butler college of Indianapolis defeated the University of Wisconsin basketball team 26 to 20 Friday night.

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Two Rivers—Appleton handed Two Rivers its first defeat of the season in the Central Wisconsin basket league Friday night, 19 to 17.

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Mike Knapp has gone to Neenah to join the Bright Spots for their game against the Hubs tonight.

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The Uncle Sam Tractors of Menashe, who play here Wednesday, defeated the Winneconne five, 28 to 22.

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Stanley Stark of this city was the individual star in Appleton's victory over Two Rivers Friday.

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Coach Ritchay's high school basketeers are practicing through the holidays in preparation for the Marshfield game here January 6.

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(Continued From Page 2)

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Will you please bring me a pack of flinch cards and a sweater ball hand Jo and a B B Gun fore Christmas.
My name is Howard Fox.
No. 408 Plover, R. 2.

Dear Santa:—
I have been a good little girl and I am going to school now. I am in the first grade. I would like a little doll buggy set of dishes a dollie and a cap.
Good By Santa.
Helen Feik.
No. 409 Vesper, Wis. R. 1

Dear Santa Claus.
I wish you would bring me a cart and a sled a little one, my old one needs a new top on it.
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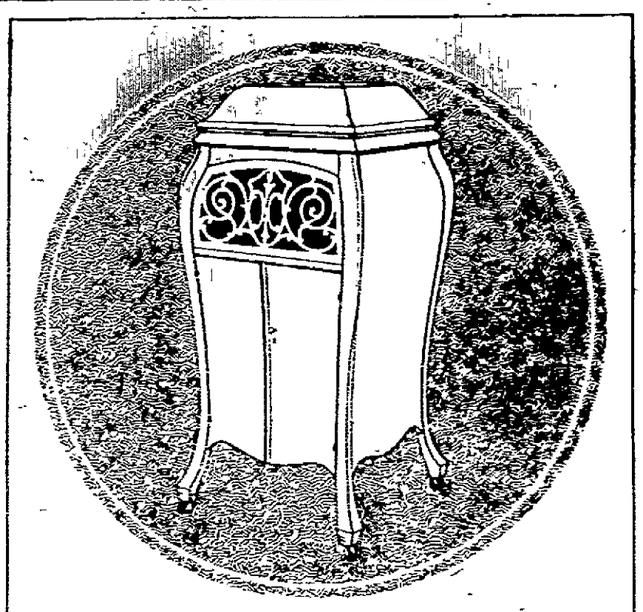

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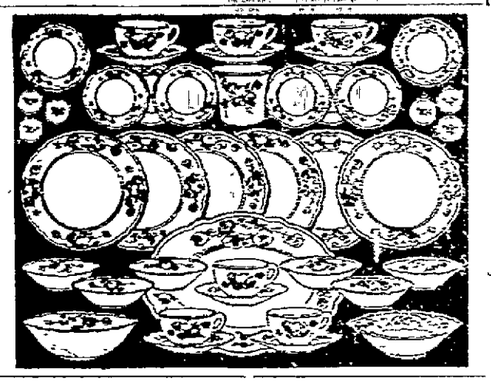

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LOCAL BASKET FIVE EMERGES VICTORIOUS IN FIRST REAL BATTLE OF SEASON

The Tri-Cities basket men kept a clean slate for the season by defeating the Oshkosh B'Gosh Overall five Saturday evening by a 25 to 19 score in the fastest and most closely contested game seen on the local floor this fall. The visitors had a systematic five man defense that kept down the Tri-City score, but failed to take advantage of their own opportunities to score. The stellar work of Myron Hill at guard was the feature of the local five's play.

Hold Lead

The Tri-Cities opened the scoring with a field goal by Stark and were never headed, although at several times there was only a margin of one point between the teams. Both teams were forced to rely chiefly on shots from outside the free throw line for their scores, and it was largely due to the proficiency of Mike Knapp at caging the long ones that the locals built up their lead.

Start Rally

With the score 14 to 7 against them at the opening of the second period, Oshkosh started a rally which brought their score within three points of the Tri-Cities at one time. Goals by O'Brien and Schultz, and a sensational throw from mid-floor by Steckbauer, together with a couple of free throws, added ten points to the visitors score, while the Tri-Cities were adding six. A couple of more goals and three free throws by Ritchay took the game out of danger, however, the final score being 25 to 19 in favor of the Wisconsin Rapids five.

Lineups and Summary:-

Tri-City (25)	g	f	p	t.
Ritchay, RF.	4	7	2	0
Stark, LF.	1	0	0	0
Knapp, RF.	4	0	0	1
Plahmer, C.	0	0	0	0
Hill, RG.	0	0	3	1
Johnson, LG.	0	0	1	0
	9	7	6	2

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	8	3	9	3

Free Throws missed: Ritchay, 5 out of 12; Webster, 1 out of 1; Schultz, 4 out of 7.

Referee: Schrank.

Bowling

LEAGUE STANDINGS

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Consolidated	6	3	.667
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Sure Shots	4	2	.667
Highways	5	4	.555
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Minor League			
Glues*	5	1	.833
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Sulphites	6	3	.667
Wood Co. Banks	3	5	.375
National Guards	3	6	.333
Buicks	2	6	.250

Sulphites Take Three

The Sulphite five took two out of three from the Guards Sunday afternoon in the match postponed from the previous evening. Kwasigroch of the Sulphites bowled high game with 221 and Laramie took high average for three games with 150.

Guards				
Miscoll	156	154	126	436
Witter	109	91	127	327
Smith	94	127	125	346
Laramie	185	133	131	449
Zeaman	154	73	110	342
Totals	698	583	619	1900

Sulphites				
Kraske	141	168		309
Brayton			95	95
Plahmer	94	113		207
McCourt		136	120	256
Berg	133	166	145	444
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Simpson	138	124	161	423
Totals	727	707	623	2057

Schedule

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Mike Knapp has gone to Neenah to join the Bright Spots for their game against the Hubs tonight.

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The Uncle Sam Tractors of Menasha, who play here Wednesday, defeated the Winneconne five, 28 to 22.

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Coach Ritchay's high school basketeers are practicing through the holidays in preparation for the Marshfield game here January 6.

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My name is Howard Fox.
No. 408 Plover, R. 2.

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Good By Santa,
Helen Ferk,
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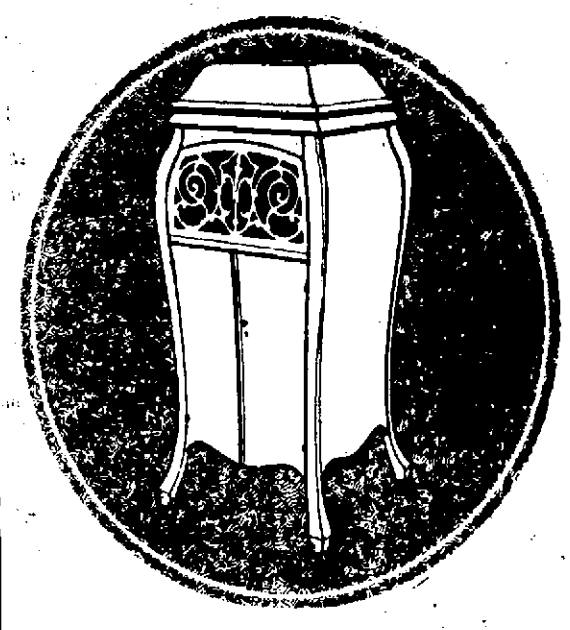

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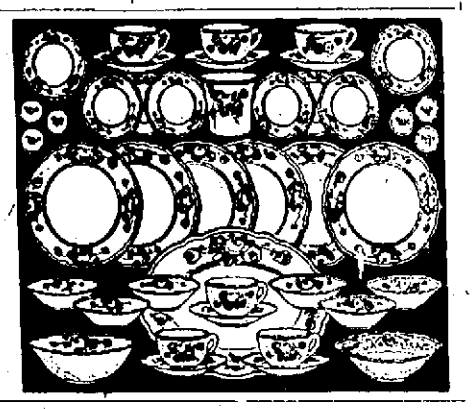

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